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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:
Robert William Turnbull

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Examiner: Peter A. Hruskoci

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed August 12, 2002, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

IN THE CLAIMS

We elect Group I.

If any matters can be handled by telephone, Applicant requests that the Examiner telephone Applicant's attorney at the number below.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 20-0782 (Order No. A-70162/JAS).

Respectfully submitted,

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